GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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INTRODUCTION OF COMMON SYLLABUS THROUGHOUT COUNTRY
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the syllabus being followed by different State Governments is not common;

(b) if so, whether the Government have chalked out any policy to introduce a common syllabus throughout the country;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d): The subject "Education" being on the Concurrent List,the State Governments are free to adopt thesyllabi prepared by National Council of EducationalResearch and Training (NCERT)or to modify the same according to the requirements of their respective Boards. They are also free to prepare their own syllabi.